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<sup>1</sup> No. 4:15-cr-6031, ECF No. 257.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff/Respondent,

v.

JARED MARCUM,

Defendant/Petitioner.

NO. 2:04-cr-6045-EFS NO. 4:15-cr-6031-EFS

ORDER GRANTING THE UNITED STATES' MOTION TO EXTEND TIME TO FILE RESPONSE, AND STRIKING PETITION IN INITIAL **CASE** 

In Mr. Marcum's more recent criminal case, the United States asks for an extension to respond to Defendant Jared Marcum's motion to reduce sentence under 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(1)(A) and construed 28 U.S.C. § 2255 habeas petition.<sup>1</sup> Because Mr. Marcum's supplemental arguments raise complex factual and legal issues, the United States asks that its response deadline be extended from June 30, 2023, to August 30, 2023. Mr. Marcum has not yet responded to this extension request.

Given the nature of the legal and factual issues, the Court finds good cause to permit the United States additional time to respond to Mr. Marcum's supplemented habeas petition and motion.

In addition, the Court strikes the habeas petition in Mr. Marcum's initial criminal case, given that in the recent supplement Mr. Marcum stated:

Mr. Marcum did file a petition/motion for relief under 28 U.S.C. 2255 in case No. 2:04-CR-06045-EFS-1, however, that petition/motion will be withdrawn, as Mr. Marcum has now completed his 24 month sentence in that matter, so any reduction in, or elimination of, his sentence in that matter is now moot.<sup>2</sup>

## Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED**:

- The United States' Motion to Extend Response Deadline, No. 4:15-cr-6031, ECF No. 257, is GRANTED.
- The United States shall file its response to Mr. Marcum's Motion to Reduce Sentence under 3582(c)(1)(A) and Amended Construed 28 U.S.C.
   § 2255 Habeas Petition, No. 4:15-cr-6031, ECF No. 251, by August 30, 2023.
- 3. Mr. Marcum's pro se habeas petition, No. 4:15-cr-6031, ECF No. 233, is STRICKEN; and his amended petition, No. 4:15-cr-6031, ECF No. 251, will be heard without oral argument on October 6, 2023.

<sup>2</sup> No. 4:15-cr-6031-EFS, ECF No. 251 at 9-10.

4. Mr. Marcum's habeas petition, **No. 2:04-cr-6045-EFS, ECF No. 271**, is **STRICKEN** as withdrawn.

IT IS SO ORDERED. The Clerk's Office is directed to enter this order and provide copies to counsel.

**DATED** this <u>2</u>6th day of June 2023.

EDWARD F. SHEA

Senior United States District Judge

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